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SUBJ: EXERCISE TEAMWORK 76: INVOLVING DANISH PARLIAMENTARIANS

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1. WE HEARTILY ENDORSE THE IDEA OF EXPOSING SOME DANISH  
PARLIAMENTARIANS TO THE TEAMWORK EXERCISE.

2. WE WOULD BE HAPPY TO FEEL OUT THE GON ABOUT THE POSSIBILITY  
OF HAVING NORWAY INVITE THE DANES, THOUGH BEFORE WE DO SO WE  
WOULD NEED A CLEARER IDEA OF WHAT IS INVOLVED--WOULD THE DANES  
BE GUESTS OF THE NORWEGIAN GOVERNMENT? WHO IS PAYING FOR THE  
VISIT? WHO IS TO ARRANGE THEIR TRAVEL AND OTHER LOGISTICS?  
WHO WOULD ARRANGE THE BRIEFINGS AND WHERE?

3. IF ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE FOR SOME DANES TO WITNESS THE  
EXCERCISE WE WOULD STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT A GROUP OF NORWEGIAN  
PARLIAMENTARIANS, AS REPRESENTATIVES OF THE HOST COUNTRY, ALSO  
BE INCLUDED IN THESE ARRANGEMENTS. INDEED, WE WOULD EXPECT  
GON TO RAISE THIS ISSUE EVEN IF WE DO NOT.

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4. WE DO KNOW THAT THE NORWEGIAN MILITARY OFFICIALS WORKING

ON THE EXERCISE ARE ALREADY CONCERNED WITH THE NUMBER OF  
MILITARY OFFICIALS BEING INVITED FROM OTHER COUNTRIES  
TO WITNESS TEAMWORK. THEY ARE APPARENTLY HOPING TO LIMIT  
SUCH MILITARY OBSERVERS TO TWENTY BECAUSE OF THE EXTRA LOGISTICS  
INVOLVED IN MOVING THEM AROUND (SEE USNATO 3946). AND WE UNDER-  
STAND THERE ARE ALSO PLANS TO GIVE SPECIAL TREATMENT TO AN  
INTERNATIONAL PRESS GROUP NUMBERING SIXTY.  
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